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TROTZKY OUSTED BY RED'S COUNCIL

THREATENED WITH EXPULSION FROM COMMUNIST PARTY

FORMER RUSSIAN IDOL REJECTED BY SOVIET

War Chief Bows Humbly to Edict of Revolutionary War Council and Asks for Appoint to New Office—Denies "Trotzkyism."

Moscow.—Leon Trotzky has been relieved of his duties as chairman of the revolutionary war council by the central executive committee of the Communist party, the most powerful political body in Russia.

The retiring war minister also is threatened with expulsion from the Communist party and from membership in all the important political bureaus unless he conforms to party discipline and renounces his attacks upon the principles enunciated by the late Nikolai Lenine.

The once powerful war chief has bowed to this severe edict of the party in a strikingly humble and apologetic letter, in which he virtually invites the central committee to relieve him of his duties at the war department and pledges himself to work loyally "at any work, in any place and under the fullest control of the committee."

Trotzky reiterated that all the accusations made against him during the controversy in the party were untrue. He never intended to revise or subvert Lenine's principles. He added that he would be able to refute these charges, but that he considered it better to remain silent as such refutations would only add further to the party strife.

Trotzky denied that there ever existed such a political creed as "Trotzkyism," as his opponents alleged. He also repudiated the charge of being irregular and inconsistent in theory or practice as regards revolutionary principles.

The letter concluded with the following capitulation: "The condition of affairs seems to demand that I should be relieved of my post as chairman of the revolutionary war council."

The executive committee of the Communist party devoted forty-eight hours in plenary session to the perplexing question of what to do with the recalcitrant war leader who previously had sent it his three-page letter denying all the charges against him.

The committee ruled that Trotzky's leadership of the red army could not be maintained "without the fullest support of authority of the Communist party, and that without such support there was danger of undermining the iron discipline of the army."

MASSACHUSETTS MAN TO EDIT WOODROW WILSON'S BIOGRAPHY

Washington. — Woodrow Wilson's life and letters—the long-awaited authorized biography and compilation of papers of the great war president—will be done by Ray Stannard Baker of Amherst, Mass. Although the work will begin immediately it may require several years before it is ready for publication.

Mrs. Wilson, in making her decision as the former president's executor, was fortified by the knowledge that Wilson himself probably would have selected Baker for the work had he lived long enough to arrange it.

Floods Sweep the South

Atlanta.—The steady downpour of rain has caused rivers and creeks to continue to rise, seriously crippling railroad and motor traffic. Not a train is moving south of Macon. Service between Atlanta and Macon and the latter city and Jacksonville was abandoned. Convicts have been removed from the Alabama state prison No. 4 to Kilby and storekeepers are removing goods from the basements at Wetumpka. Highways leading into Hammond, La., were under three to four feet of water and the only communication with the outside was by one railroad, over which trains moved with difficulty.

Rum Ring Trial Near

Los Angeles.—With Assistant United States Attorney Mark Herron under constant guard as the result of a "death threat" letter, plans are complete for the trial of the "millionaire rum ring," which has dragged through nearly two years of court delays and postponements.

Destroyers Sent to Shanghai

Manila.—The remaining destroyers of the American Forty-fifth division were ordered to Shanghai. The ships involved are the Hulbert, Noa, Prurett, Preston, Preble and Sicard.

EVOLUTION O. K.'D AS SCHOOL STUDY

PROFESSORS APPROVE TEXT BOOKS NOW IN USE

DARWIN THEORY NOT IN CONFLICT WITH BIBLE

Committee Named in August to Review Books on Science Delivers Blow to Opponents of Evolution in Report.

Sacramento.—A severe set-back to opponents of the teaching of evolution in the schools of California was delivered before the state board of education when a report of college authorities, headed by President W. W. Campbell of the University of California, was received. This report stated that text books on science now in use by California schools do not conflict with the fundamental principles of religion as presented in the Bible.

The committee was asked last August by the state to review the text books on science and report on whether in their judgment "there is in any of these text books a presentation of the subject of evolution in such a way as to discredit the Bible and to develop in the minds of high school students an attitude of irreverence and atheism."

The report declared that "evolution is presented as a theory and not as an established fact; that the theory of evolution is commonly accepted by scientific men.

In our opinion these books have treated the subject with moderation and circumspection."

The members of the committee are: President W. W. Campbell; Ray Lyman Wilbur, president of Stanford university; Mrs. Aurelia Reinhardt, president of Mills college; Karl T. Waugh, University of Southern California; R. D. Bird, president of Occidental college; James A. Blaisdell, president of Pomona college; V. L. Duke, president of the University of Redlands; Tully C. Knowles, College of the Pacific, and Catherine O'Donnell, president of the Dominican college.

HERSEY VERDICT AFFIRMED EPISCOPAL MINISTER DEPOSED

Cleveland.—The review court of the Protestant Episcopal church unanimously affirmed the hersy conviction of Bishop William Montgomery Brown of Galion, Ohio, and recommended that the former bishop of Arkansas "be deposed from the Episcopal ministry." This sentence must be affirmed by a two-thirds vote of the house of bishops before it will become effective.

Bishop Brown was found guilty last May of "teaching doctrines contrary to those of the Episcopal church."

$30,000 for Dam Survey

Washington.—The Reclamation service has announced that the California development association had guaranteed $15,000 to match a similar amount from the interior department in continuing a survey in Carquinez straits, California for a salt water dam site. A contract will be immediately forwarded to the association and when it is signed and returned the secretary of the interior will formally approve the project, it was announced.

Picture Reunites Family

Chicago.—Publication of a picture of her divorced husband in a Los Angeles newspaper has ended a search Mrs. Florence Kerr of Chicago has made for thirty years for her daughter Dorothy, now Mrs. George H. Hetrich of Los Angeles. The child, then 5 years old, was temporarily awarded to the father after the divorce thirty years ago. Father and mother separated and trace of the child was lost by Mrs. Kerr.

Huge Air Mail Plane

New York.—An air mail plane with a capacity seven times that of vehicles now in use has just completed successful night flight tests at the hands of the postoffice department. The new craft uses a standard Liberty motor and, with an improved body and wing structure, promises to cut the cost of air mail transport from $2.63 per ton mile to 35 cents per ton mile.

Tourists Crowd Churches

St. Petersburg, Fla.—The influx of winter visitors to this city has brought about a situation in local churches that is believed to be unparalleled in the religious history of the country. So large is the attendance at two of the churches that the preachers have resorted to double services every Sunday forenoon to accommodate the throngs.

Golden State
News of Interest to All

California automobile registrations total 1,311,000.

A $450,000 high school is to be erected at Eureka.

A $100,000 sash factory is under construction at San Carlos.

San Anselmo is to have a new $60,000 store and office building.

San Jose's population is 73,167, according to the city's last directory.

One hundred and twelve inquests were held in Sonoma county last year.

Los Angeles Rotarians entertained over 100 San Francisco brethren at a recent meeting.

The Bluebird chewing gum company plans construction of a factory building at San Martin.

Plans have been submitted for new junior college buildings at Sacramento to cost $550,000.

San Francisco will expend $15,000 to prevent a repetition of recent landslides near the Cliff House.

Bandits are believed to have killed a Chinese merchant of Brawley, after taking $700 from his store.

A five mile paved highway in Big Bear valley, San Bernardino county, has been completed; cost, $149,000.

A slight earthquake, felt in Los Angeles and lasting between fifteen and thirty seconds, did no damage.

Red Bluff will vote on a proposed bond issue of $15,000 for additional equipment for the fire department.

Frank Guerena of San Francisco, deputy attorney general, was reelected to Stanford university national board.

One hundred and three applicants passed recent examinations for dental licenses. Out of 119 only 16 failed to pass.

George J. Steiger, Jr., San Francisco attorney, was reelected president of the United Swiss Societies of California.

At the first meeting of the California Retail council, Marshal Hale, San Francisco merchant, was elected president.

The second attempt in fifteen minutes made by R. T. Upton to escape from the Los Angeles city jail was successful.

The Menlo Park Improvement association will bend its efforts to obtain the incorporation of Menlo Park as a sixth class city.

The Marysville city council authorized $34,208.70 street bonds to cover the cost of paving streets in a northern portion of the city.

A quantity of mash found dumped into Ellis lake near Marysville is believed to account for the large number of fish found dead.

Dr. Edwin R. Snyder, president of the San Jose teachers' college and former state commissioner of vocational education, is dead.

Watsonville Heights, a suburb of 700 population, was annexed to Watsonville by a vote of 91 to 14 out of 133 eligible voters in the district.

Plans for new business structures and public buildings to be erected at Sacramento, this year, call for a total expenditure of nearly $14,000,000.

Last rites for Tommy T. Thompson, Orland boy, who was killed in France and in whose honor the Orland legion post was named, were held Jan. 10.

Three men were killed and nineteen seriously injured by a boiler explosion in the new plant of the Southern California Edison company at Long Beach.

Hayward business men met recently with the directors of the Scoville moving picture company to discuss the erection of a motion picture studio at Hayward.

By April 1, 143 vessels of war will be gathered in San Francisco bay, according to expectations, preparatory to the moving of the entire fleet to Honolulu.

The last bridge over the Calabazas creek and Stuart creek, on the new highway between Sonoma and Santa Rosa, eliminates the last poor stretch on this road.

A appropriation of $25,000 is asked by Assemblyman Hartranft of Fullerton in a bill to the legislature to provide funds for a survey of the Santa Ana river.

G. Capp, 90, an instructor at Heald's business college for forty years and known throughout the United States as the dean of handwriting instructors, died at San Leandro.

Funeral services of Dr. Norman Bridge, author, physician and multimillionaire oil magnate, was held in Los Angeles and the body taken to Chicago, his former home.

With the planned erection of a new dam, twenty thousand acres of now arid territory, with Montague as the center, will be irrigated from the waters of Shasta river and Parks creek.

COUNTY CHAMBERS TO BE FORUM GUESTS

Feeling that closer co-operation between the several communities in the valley is desirable, the board ofdirectors and managing director Wendell C. Thomas of the Chamber of Commerce invited the Chamber of Commerce of Palo Alto to put on the program at the regular Forum meeting held Thursday noon.

Similar invitations will be extended to the other chambers in the county from time to time This policy is in line with the purpose of Santa Clara County Consolidated, an organization that is proving to be an effective element in getting the valley cities and towns to work in common for the better progress of the county as a whole. The Palo Alto Chamber of Commerce directors and Ray W. Smith, secretary, accepted the invitation and took complete charge of the meeting. Prof. E. A. Cottrell, of Stanford university, recently elected mayor of Palo Alto, spoke presenting the county problems that confront that city. Palo Alto musicians supplied the music during the dinner.

HI PLAYS SANTA CLARA TONIGHT

Tuesday afternoon, the Campbell 130 and unlimited basket ball teams trekked to San Mateo where they lost to the San Mateo 130's and won from the San Mateo unlimited. The score to the first game was 16-19, and the second, 25-3.

The 'thirties played a good hard game and would have won but for a last minute rally by San Mateo. Captain Kalas had to be taken out which weakened the team. Even at that San Mateo only won by three points.

The Campbell unlimited just naturally played all around San Mateo. They were rather slow in getting started, the scores at the end of the first half being 11-3. Coach Noddin, not satisfied with this meagre lead, talked to the boys, and when they went back in they were all fight. At the end of the game the score was 25-3.

The line-up for Campbell were, B team: forwards, Gardner, Hedegard, Hummel, Monte, Reed; center, Kalas; guards, Cramer, Nishita. Unlimited, forwards, Clark, Bonaccorso, Duncan, M. Nelson, C. Nelson; center, Robinson; guards, Shelley, Captain Reed, Sundquist, Steindorf.

Our boys will play Santa Clara teams here this evening.

Richard Shelley, Reporter.

Paderewski Plays for Pope

Rome.—Ignace Jan Paderewski, the pianist-statesman, who is visiting Rome, played in the Vatican before the pope and leading ecclesiastics including Cardinals Gasparri and Merry del Val and Monsignor Zepliak.

Marines Land at Nanking

Peking.—Sailors from the U. S. S. Penguin and Pigeon were landed at Nanking to protect American residents and the consulate, in that city, the center of the civil war disturbance in Kiangsu province.

Early in January the movement of thousands of head of sheep and cattle from delta pasture lands had begun toward the foothills of Kern county. In the lower foothill are thermal conditions are favorable f production of the earliest pasturage in the San Joaquin valley. Leases on the big ranches expired on the first of the year, in many instances, and the stock owners began to move their herds early.

Thirteen different sites have been offered to the University of California regents for a new location for the southern California branch of the university, free of cost. There appears to be many strong champions for the 1,000-acre site near Fullerton and likewise the 200-acre site in Beverly Hills near Los Angeles. The legislature will be asked for an initial appropriation of $1,000,000 for the new buildings.

SUPREME COURT SUCJECT AT CLUB

The program which was presented to the Country Woman's Club Monday was one of the most interesting of the season. Dealing as it did with the history powers and duties of the Supreme Court of the United States, it was of especial value in view of the present adverse criticism directed against that most important branch of our government by some of our radical political leaders.

Mrs. Edith Turner was the able chairman, very competently assisted by Mrs. Geo. Husted. Mrs. C. B. Miracle was unable to take her topic owing to ill health.

In a very clear cut and comprehensive review, Mrs. Husted sketched theh history of the Chief Justice of that august body and the most important decisions rendered under them. She named the members of the present court including the recent change and the prospective retirement of Oliver Wendell Holmes.

The duties and powers of the court as outlined in the constitution were named by Mrs. Turner, followed by a discussion of those same items, and a citation o fsome cases which they cover and the construction placed upon them by the leaders of different periods. She read from an intensely illuminating article in "The Nation" on the so-called "usurpation of power" by the Supreme Court. The writer quoted extensively from the most able periodicals of our history as well as from public and private correspondence and journals to show just the position and attitude of the writers and first interpreters of the constitution, which was to maintain the balance of power between the national and state sovereignties.

A number of achievements and great inventions, the result of American genius, were enumerated by the members together with other items of interest.

MRS. T. A. ROBINSON GASSED IN HOME

Mrs. T. A. Robinson had a very narrow escape Monday from asphyxiation due to escaping gas. Her brother, Ben McCaughey, went to the house that morning and found her unconscious on the floor. Assistance was immediately called. Dr. Merrill arriving almost at once and by strenuous and persistent efforts she was finally resusitated, and at last reports was up and about the house much as usual.

So far as known this is the krst accident caused by gas in this community since its installation several years ago and it was a real shock to everyone and her recovery is a matter of rejoicing to all.

PLAN FOR BIG DAY

Old Settlers' Day committees are busy making preparations for Campbell's annual celebration and according to plans this occasion will be the biggest in the history of the town.

As yet definite statements are not being made by the committees, who exidently have something in hiding for a real surprise. A few additions and changes have been necessary in committees.

Fascisti Among Students

Rome.—Strife between fascisti and their opponents has extended to Italian college boys. The rector of the University of Naples closed its doors following fist fights between fascist students and those opposed.

U. S. Sets Thrift Record

New York.—The American people broke some more thrift records in 1924 by buying $13,514,000,000 worth of life insurance, an increase of 8.2 per cent over 1923, the former peak year.

CAMPBELL CHAMBER IN ANNUAL BANQUET

The stage is all set for the annual banquet of the Campbell Chamber of Commerce this evening. This year the banquet is in the nature of a community wedding and love feast. It is the annual get-to-gether of the former Improvement Club and Commercial Men's association members around a common board with all the good eats to be supplied by the Grammar School Parent Teachers Association.

At this meeting will be given reports of past accomplishments by the civic workers and plans and suggestions for the future betterment of our progressive town.

An informal program has been arranged for the evening's entertainment.

Vice President T. A. Cutting, acting as toastmaster for the occasion will make the introductory remarks and direct the program.

Five minute talks will be given by several members on vital topics of interest to our townspeople.

Mr. D. H. Cramer will speak of "The Need of Co-operation between the Parents and Teachers of the High School, to Further Better High School Education."

Superintendent I. R. Abbott's subject is "What a Union Grammar School Does for a Community."

Mr. S. N. Hedegard, a most enthusiastic and tireless worker for the community will tell "What the New Road Projects Mean to Campbell."

E. R. Kennedy, retiring president will give a resume of real estate conditions in and around Campbell.

Rev. F. C. Farr has been asked to discuss the question of juvenile delinquency.

Mr. Fraser Reed, of San Jose, will deliver the address of the evening.

Interspersed with the talks will be vocal numbers by Miss Olive Burgess, of San Jose, and violin selections by W. C. Bohnett, with Emily Pannell Gard, as accompanist.

Dinner will be served at 6:30 sharp and all are urged to be on time at the Campbell Grammar School cafeteria.

ADA REBEKAH OFFICIALS INSTALLED

On Tuesday evening the new corps of officers of Ada Rebekah Lodge was officially installed. It is composed of the following members:

Past Noble Grand—Ellen Snow
Noble Grand—Wilmay Lea.
Vice Grand—Hazel McQueen.
Chaplain—Lillian Ohlen.
Pianist—Katherine Gullick.
R. S. N. G.—Josie Grizzle.
L. S. N. G.—Anna Bachman.
R. S. V. G.—Katherine Burness
L. S. V. G.—Ivy Tucker.
Inside Guardian—Mrs. Soutar.
Outside Guardian—Robert Scholtz.

The installation was very creditably put on by District Deputy President, Inez Gloyd and staff, following which refreshments were served in the banquet room.

Acting as toastmaster of the evening W. R. Coupland called on several of those present who responded with some very interesting remarks.

FRIENDLY 500

A few friends were entertained at five hundred Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bachman near Cambrian station. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Horace Lea, E. E. Lanphear, D. A. McQueen, E. W. Ohlen and F. H. Tucker. The head prizes were carried off by Mrs. Lanphear and Horace Lea, Mrs. Lea receiving consolation prize. Light refreshments concluded a most enjoyable evening.

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SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara

Genia Powell, Plaintiff, vs.

Raymond Powell, Defendant. Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, and the Complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Santa Clara.

The People of the State of California send greetings to Raymond Powell, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the Complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara within ten days after service on you of this Summons, if served within this County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara, this 31st day of May, A. D. 1924.

HENRY A. PFISTER, Clerk,
By Albert J. Newlin, Deputy Clerk.
F. H. Benson, Attorney

Cash paid for false teeth, platinum, discarded jewelry and old gold. Hoke Smelting and Refining Co., Otsego, Michigan.

FOR SALE—Three fine R. I. Red cockerels, and one Buff Orpington. Mrs. Fisher, 143 Harrison Ave., Campbell, Cal. 30-2t

Blasting out of hard rock at a cost of $12,000 for one mile and a half, is being done on the new Atlas Peak road being built by Napa county.

Believed to be the oldest living violator of the Wright act, Mrs. Serapia Nuncia, 102 years old, was found guilty of possessing intoxicating liquors.

Pasadena police recently found the body of a man said to be the fourteenth to have either jumped or fallen from the high bridge over the Arroyo Seco.

Tied with Massachusetts, California stands twenty-first among the states in percentage of qualified voters who cast their ballot at the last election.

One of California's oldest clocks, said to have kept time accurately and struck all the hours for more than eighty years, is owned by Mrs. John Kuhn of Colusa.

E. D. Adams, Leland Stanford University professor, has been elected a delegate to the national American Historical association convention at Richmond, Va.

Fire swept an entire block in Los Angeles, destroying the Los Angeles Screen and California Hardwood Lumber companies, at a damage in excess of $200,000.

Rescue teams recovered the bodies of two of seven men killed by an explosion in the Pacific Coast Coal company's mine at Burnett.

Negotiations for the purchase of the plant of the Martinez Canning company have been completed by the American Plywood company.

It is probable that bids will be opened shortly for a new mail stage route for Lake county, to operate between Calistoga and Ukiah.

A Lathrop farmer was fined $10 for appropriating electric energy for his ranch from the power line of the Western States company.

The Pacific Gas and Electric company has bought the Swayne creosoting plant at Redding, and will double the plant's capacity.

WHAT THE MOVIES DOES TO US

Probably no other secular institution plays so important a part for better or worse in our lives as the motion picture. To use the familiar idiom, the movie, as an institution, can make us or break us. Moralists have said enough to fill volumes about its evils or supposed evils. Educators have praised it, and not only have pointed out its virtues, but actually have adopted it in schools of learning. The movie has given employment to many thousands of people; it has become the fourth largest industry in the United States from the standpoint of capital invested. It has amused and instructed millions of people, and paid millions of dollars to high salaried professionals to make others laugh and weep. It has stirred the fires of ambition among thousands who have longed for the magic spell of getting themselves starred on its silver sheet, or to write the colorful plots to which it owes its life and continuance. It has created an entirely new school of thought, of action, of literature. But what has it done for the average man of the street, store, shop or office; for the woman of the household; and for the boy and girl of the school? What civic, social and personal benefits can be credited to the flickering film?

To answer—but only in the most general terms—it has been a great leavening in the melting pot of community life. The motion picture house knows no rich, no poor. It claims all. Here men and women laugh and cry together, and often talk all too much. Here the child gets his drama—flat, but faultless; his thrills—exhilirating, but safe. No two films ever were exactly alike. That makes them humanlike. Leaving out all moral questions, perhaps the worst that can be said of the movie is the utter passivity it not only affords but relentlessly demands. In this mechanical age we need more exercise and physical recreation than we get in our daily work; that is, we need action with wholesome fun in it. Not the action that we pay others to perform, but that we do ourselves. And this is what, from a recreative standpoint, the movie can not supply. It even stifles mental activity, for it is all too easy to let the film drift idly through our mental systems without touching the brain cog-wheels. It has no mental teeth in it. We forget what the picture was by the time we get back to where we parked the car. This may be our fault and not that of the movie, and it probably is. Each must find his own answer. To offset this, however, we all need at times the silent, restful motion picture, mingled with occasional hair-breadth escapes, comedies, and gray-haired mothers.

MANNERS AND COMFORTS

That good manners begin at home is being impressed upon us from all sides. Likewise, solid comfort begins at home. The old parlor, with its red plush rockers, which were never to be touched except at funerals and weddings, is now the living room with its living room furniture. The easy chairs are used every day in every way, and somehow they just last and last and last. We used to think they wouldn't. With better home manners, more home comforts, and with inventions for pleasure and amusement in the home that would fill the kings of old wtih envy, there is no use thinking the home is going to ruin. It is just coming into its own. Those who declare that the home is going to pieces ought to ponder well. If what they say is true, the time has come for more consternation than now exists; if not true, then these gloom breeders ought to be silenced.

THE PROSPERITY WAVE

Business goes in cycles or in waves: a period of prosperity follows a period of depression, and vice versa. So says Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Commerce. Furthermore, it follows that the higher the wave of prosperity, the corresponding dip of depression trails in its wake. But Mr. Hoover does not refer to normal and steady periods of proseprity; he refers to "booms". The boom, with its consequent inflation of values is what creates the vacuum.

That a measure of proseprity will come in 1925 will not be doubted, but the kind of prosperity that will insure safe saiilng; something that will flatten out the waves rather than make them deeper is what we want. The pendulum must sing from good to bad in business, but there are certain limits in both directions beyond which sound business should not be permitted to go. Confidence, thrift, promptness and perserverence probably have much to do with prosperity as do the more rigid economic laws; and these business virtues are becoming more and more the great stabilizers of business and industry.

GIVE THE AUTO ITS DUE

We're all the time talking about how many deaths the automobile has brought. Look at the lives it has saved! When a fellow is riding in one he isn't a pedestrian, is he?

STATEMENT

Deposits in the Commercial Department of the Mercantile Trust Company of California in Campbell California, at the close of business on December 31, 1924, were $303-814.22. Deposits in the Savings Department were $476,219.75. Total deposits were $780,033.97

John M. Grant, Vice President, and Stewart D. Beckley, Cashier, of the Mercantile Trust Company of California, being duly sworn. each for himself, says he has a personal knowledge of the matters contained in the foregoing report, and that every allegation, statemen t matter and thing therein contained is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

John M. Grant, Vice President,
Stewart D. Beckley, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to before me by both deponents the 14th day of January, 1925.

Frank L. Owen,
Notary Public in and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

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English Cathedrals Go Far Back in History

The great cathedrals of England in many instances replace former edifices that were erected by the early Christians who formed part of the ancient British church, and which were later destroyed by fire or otherwise, a writer in the Montreal Family Herald relates. For instance, Canterbury cathedral was first built in 605, on the site of an old church dating from very early ages. It was destroyed by fire in 1067, and Archbishop Langfanc, on taking office in 1070, undertook the rebuilding of an entirely new church. This lasted until about 1100, when under Anslem, Langfranc's successor, Erulf rebuilt the eastern part. A fire destroyed most of the portion of the building in 1174, and from that year William of Sens took up the work of rebuilding until 1178, when, on his suffering severe injury by falling from a scaffold, another William, commonly distinguished as "the Englishman," carried on the work and completed it in 1184. Many alterations and changes have been made during the ensuing centuries. I might mention that as early as 668, Theodore of Tarsus, of the city of St. Paul, was elected archbishop of Canterbury, not appointed, both the king of Northumbria and the king of Kent acquiescing in his election. He was the first archbishop to receive the allegiance of the whole of the English church.

Here Sunday

"Forewarned is forearmed. I am a hot blooded bandit on my way to Campbell in my world-wide search for the bride who was stolen from me on my wedding night. If you have information of her prepare to give it to me or suffer the consequences, as I am out for vengeance and stop at nothing. Ask those who have seen me. My friends call me A SAINTED DEVIL, but to you I'm only, R. V. (or Florentine)"

Campbell screen fans will have the opportunity of seeing Rudy Valentino in this big story by Rex Beach at the Orchard City Theatre Sunday and Monday.

The Paris police seized 300 agitators the other day; but our government continues with its vacillating policy of allowing cross-word puzzles to be syndicated.

The "inter" in international law means that you have read between the lines.

The Democrats have one final consolation: the Republicans also won in Germany!

Town Tales Tersely Told

Mrs. W. H. Clark is reported quite ill at her home.

Remember the Food Sale next Saturday under the auspices of the teachers of the C. U. G. S.

Russell Kennedy was among the cold victims last week, narrowly bordering on pneumonia.

Mrs. E. F. Gard is able to be home having sufficiently recovered from her recent operation.

Mrs. Ralston Alison was out the first of the week for the first time in two weeks. Both she and Helen had been ill with colds.

The teachers of the Campbell Union Grammar School will conduct a food sale, Saturday, January 31, at the Gilson Market.

The California State Senate and Assembly daily history is arriving at the Press office where anyone interested in bills introduced may call and look them over.

Mrs. M. L. Waite was a business visitor in Campbell Wednesday. They are now living on the White road north of Alum Rock avenue. Mr. Waite is suffering from a breathing affliction and is quite ill.

Mr. Antone Ferro met with an unfortunate accident recently. He slipped and fell on the wet pavement, straining the muscles and cords in his arm and shoulder. The injury is one that takes time to heal and is rather painful.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Eckles left Tuesday for Porterville on business but before returning to Campbell they plan to visit relatives in Long Beach. Rev. Marshall, of Sunnyvale, will occupy the pulpit during Mr. Eckles absence.

Mrs. Lucy Smith and family will move to Santa Cruz where with her son, Leonard, she will be interested in a battery station. Leonard is one of the best auto mechanics in these parts and will make a success in this line at the surf city.

Donald Hurst, who was on his return to Santa Rosa from Los Angeles, spent a short time in Campbell Tuesday. His father, O. F. Hurst, who formerly conducted the distribution of Homestead Dairy products in Campbell, is now in business in Santa Rosa handling Wilson Washer Machinery and is doing very well.

The friends of Mrs. Walton of South Third street and Mrs. J. C. Birnbaum, of McCoy avenue, will be grieved to learn of the death of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Dell McGregor, in Oakland, on January 8th, after an illness of over two years. Private services were conducted by Rev. W. E. Eckles followed by cremation and interment in the family plot at Oak Hill.

Newspapers have proved the greatest advertising media of any for one of the largest industrial concerns on the Pacific coast, according to Emil Brisacher, their advertising expert. His company is securing through newspapers from 1,000 to 10,000 times the circulation received by products advertising in national magazines. He points out that no other media permitted greater concentration than the newspapers. "More than three-fourths of our entire advertising appropriation for the next year will be invested in newspaper advertising," he said. "The newspaper, through its news and advertising columns, carries the timely element. The do-it-now idea prevails, and the public is accustomed to read the advertisements today and buy tomorrow."

Scores of unofficial organizations have sprung up through the country with the intention of defrauding World war veterans in their efforts to collect claims for disability or hospital service. No claim agent or attorney, except the representatives of the American Legion, the Disabled Veterans of Foreign Wars, and similar organizations, which have been endorsed by the director of the veteran's bureau, will be recognized in the collection of claims.

Excessive speed was held to have been responsible for the Key Route-Sacramento Short Line accident on the Key Route pier, Oakland, last December, in the official finding of the Interstate Commerce commission. The finding, which inductively clears the Key System of major responsibility, was based upon the report of official examiners of the Interstate Commerce commission, who function indepen- home.

MRS. PHELPS ANSWERS CALL

The community received a decided shock Wednesday when word was passed along that Mrs. Jeanett Phelps, had passed away, that morning. Mrs. Phelps had but the week before undergone an operation at San Jose hospital and was steadily improving.

The funeral services were held yesterday afternoon from San Jose and interment made at Santa Clara, Rev. F. C. Farr officiating. She with her husband the late George Phelps, had lived on Hamilton avenue for some years and were highly respected and beloved citizens. Mr. Phelps passed away about a year ago.

Miss Stella Leviston and Mrs. Doris Miser, nieces of the deceased, made their home with them for several years, Miss Leviston still residing at the home place.

Mrs. Phelps was a native of Wisconsin aged 67 years and 6 months.

Resin and Turpentine Put to Various Uses

Resin and turpentine have been produced on this continent since 1662. These commodities were gathered and exported by the early colonists. While they were originally used for caulking wooden vessels and protecting rope rigging, thus gaining their name of "naval stores," chemistry has developed many uses for resin and turpentine, making them indispensable in a large number of important industries, says the Montreal Star.

Soap manufacture leads in consumption of resin, with surfacing of writing and printing paper ranking second. Resin is also extensively used in the manufacture of varnishes, waterproofing compounds, roofing materials, leather dressings, lubricants, waxes, linoleum and electric insulation. Turpentine is an important industrial factor as a thinner for paint, solvent for inks, waxes, rubber and waterproofing compounds, as well as in chemical and pharmaceutical combinations.

Sea Cucumber a Fish

The sea cucumber is really a living creature and not a vegetable. Its other names are the trepang or holothurian. The body of this strange dweller in the sea is composed of a muscular tissue covered with warts or spines, and which generally resemble in shape their vegetable namesake, says the Boston Globe.

Sea cucumber is considered a great luxury among the Chinese, Malays and other Eastern peoples, and its gathering and preparation for the market is a flourishing industry among the islands of the Pacific. White men who have eaten sea-cucumber soup declare it to be delicious. The trepangs, which grow from ten to fifteen inches long, are gathered from coral reefs. They are then boiled, dried in the sun and hung over a fire, which gives them a smoky taste.

Couldn't Be Fooled

When Bobbie was six he was given a real watch, which, regardless of quality or accuracy, had a delightfully loud tick. Naturally, the little fellow was inordinately proud and would stroll up and down Wilshire boulevard, stopping every moment or two to draw the timepiece from his pocket and regard it gravely.

Every passerby got a real kick out of Bobby's performance, but the climax came when Betty Compson tripped along and asked the little chap what time it was.

Bobby regarded his watch perplexedly for a moment and then replied, with dignity: "Two inches to four."—Los Angeles Times.

Himalayan Horsechestnut

The original horsechestnut? Aesulus Hippocastanum, is the handsomest of the whole genus and one of the most beautiful trees in the world, says a bulletin of the Arnold Arboretum. It was brought to America at least 100 years ago and there are many noble specimens in cities and towns of the eastern states. The Himalayan horsechestnut and the species of central China are not hardy here, and the Arboretum has not succeeded in obtaining seeds of the north China species, Aesculus chinensis, which will probably flourish in this latitude.

Crab Found in Book

In the matter of odd bookmarks between the pages of a returned volume, one librarian claimed the blue ribbon by citing a slice of raw bacon which one of his assistants had salvaged from a copy of Mr. Service's poems.

But his claim was instantly given second place when the chief of a famous library in a great manufacturing city countered with a soft-shell crab which turned up between the leaves of a book on engineering.—The Outlook.

Had to Keep It

Mother—Where did you get that nickel?

Willie—You gave it to me for the heathen.

Mother—Then why did you keep it?

Willie—Well, teacher said I was a heathen.—Montreal Gazette.

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T. A. Robinson, Secretary.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Mary E. Owen, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Administrator of the estate of Mary E. Owen, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Santa Clara County, California, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this Notice, or within said period to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Administrator, at the office of Bohnett, Hill & Campbell, Rooms 311-314, Bank of San Jose Building, in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California, where all business connected with said estate will be transacted.

San Jose, Cal., this 4th day of December, A. D. 1924.

AMOS O. WILLIAMS,
Administrator of the Estate of Mary E. Owen, Deceased.

Bohnett, Hill & Campbell, Attorneys for said Administrator.

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This Generation May See Return to Knee Breeches

Men, it's just a little more than a century ago since long trousers began to come into fashion. Beau Brummel, the celebrated English society leader, had introduced them a few years before. His daring example had been copied by the "dandies" of the day. But most men held back, especially the conservative "substantial" ones.

They considered long trousers a childish form of masquerade and were afraid they would look ridiculous if they abandoned knee-breeches.

Today it's the other way around.

After a century, the pendulum swings and knee breeches are said to be coming back. They are worn by golfers, engineers and other men of the outdoors, and on camping trips and hikes.

Judging by ease and comfort, a great many men—if truth were known—would like to wear "knee pants" all the time.

Why not? Alas, in their community association men have acquired a timidity and sense of shame in anything not conforming to the crowd. Long trousers are "the go"; and it's a brazen male who dares fly in the teeth of convention.—Washington Post.

Madagascar Once Home of Enormous Reptiles

It is a singular fact that, barring the wild cattle and the crocodiles, the great African island (Madagascar) is wholly destitute of big game. Yet it teems with animal life in its lesser forms, including such curious animals as the aye-aye, one of the most remarkable creatures known; 39 varieties of lemurs; a ferocious member of the civet family, which looks like an enormous weasel; and a wild dog which appears to be a cross between a coyote, a jackal and a dingo.

But Madagascar has not always lacked large animals, as its fossil remains attest, for in ages past it was the habitat of enormous terrestrial lizards 50 feet in length, and of the great wingless bird, the aepyornis, twice the size of an ostrich.

The eggs of the aepyornis, some of which are 40 inches in circumference, are still frequently found in the neighborhood of Fort Dauphin, at the southern end of the island, where the natives use them for carrying water.—E. Alexander Powell in the Century Magazine.

Hardy Redwood

Nature has endowed the giant redwoods with a natural preservation which protects the timber against decay and rot indefinitely for centuries, in fact after the trees have fallen or been cut down. Trees known to have been blown over in the woods long before the discovery of America, and which have lain exposed to the elements ever since, have been found to be in splendid condition and capable of use as commercial timber.

One particular instance is recorded where a fallen tree was found underneath another big redwood that had grown astraddle the uprooted giant, but when the standing tree was cut its rings showed it to be nearly 1,000 years old.

This meant that the uprooted tree had been down for nearly 1,000 years. The rings of the fallen tree showed it to be about 600 years old when it fell, yet the log was sound and healthy.—Kreolite News.

Trouble Both Ways

An Australian barrister tells of a black fellow charged in a country town with stealing. His solicitor decided to put him in the box to give evidence on his own behalf. The magistrate, being doubtful if he understood the nature of an oath, undertook to examine him on the point.

"Jacky," he said, "you know what will happen to you if you tell a lie?"

"My oath, boss," replied Jacky, "me go down below—burn long time."

"Quite right," replied the magistrate. "And now you know what will happen if you tell the truth?"

"Yes, boss. We lose 'em case."—Sydney Herald.

Tiger Cunning

About to travel to India, a man was told by his friends to be sure not to miss the tiger shooting.

"It's no trick at all," they said. "You hide in a thicket at night; when the beast arrives, aim between its two eyes, shining in the dark. It will fall as if struck by lightning."

On his return they asked how many tigers he had killed.

"None at all," he replied sadly. "They've become altogether too clever. They now travel in pairs, and each one closes an eye. So of course—"—Paris Le Rie.

Professionalism

The seance was proving a great success. The new member of the circle, an Oldham pigeon fancier, had been brought into touch with the lately departed father-in-law, who had just announced he was an angel.

"Wi' wings an' all?" asked the son-in-law.

The reply was in the affirmative.

"What dosti measure fra' tip to tip?" asked the pigeon fancier.—Vancouver Province.

Hard on the Ball

She—Wasn't mother pumping you last night?

He—Yes, and I think she'd better, too. That's what I need.

She—What do you mean?

He—Your dad has been using me for a football.

CREATION OF NEW COUNTY SUGGESTED

The proposed creation of a new California county, or an amalgamation of peninsula territory with San Francisco, threatens to bring with it inter-county war.

A meeting of the ways and means committee of the San Mateo county amalgamation committee in San Mateo county Thursday night brought forth the suggested plan for establishment of the new county, which would extend from Belmont south to Sunnyvale, inclusive, if the ideas of its proponents are followed.

Sentiment in Palo Alto is divided, but Mayfield reported solidly in favor of joining San Mateo county in the move to consolidate with San Francisco, Redwood City sentiment is largely against amalgamation and is expected to line up in favor of a new county rather than with consolidation. Belmont, the northern extremity of the proposed new county, is divided in its views with a probable majority turning "thumbs down" on the consolidation plan.

In Palo Alto the issue has been thrown squarely into the open, with Edwin A. Cottrell, mayor of the city, and Professor Edward W. Smith, of Stanford, heading the amalgamation element and the Palo Alto Chamber of Commerce solidly against the move. A formal cofmunication to its members urging opposition to the movement has been sent out by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce.

RETALIATION
By C. F. W.

Its all a joke! Yet I will not admit,
That last week's verse was out of season,
So I told the lady of costly flurs
Pink cheeks and smiles,
That the weather's behavior
Was all out of reason,
Far better were she hugging a fire,
With rain and wind howling madly wild,
If this month persists in keeping mild,
And the next and next mimic her style,
That furs, pink cheeks, even her smile,
Climate included, might just as well
Be tossed in a big junk pile.

Finger prints of all boxers who make application for permits from the state athletic commission will be required. This is done to rid the state of undesirables. Boxers will also be required to submit two photographs, and five personal references and a record will be required.

California's real estate legislation is being followed in Massachusetts and Missouri, both of which states are agitating for real estate license law provisions, and in Texas, where realtors seek a competency test and posting of $1,000 bond to insure faithful performance of trust.

Notice to Creditors

Estate of Ah Him, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Amos O. Williams, Administrator of the estate of Ah Him, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Santa Clara County, California, within four months after the first publication of this Notice, or within said period to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Administrator at room 702 First National Bank Building, in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California, that being the place selected by said administrator for he transaction of all business appertaining to said estate.

San Jose, Cal., this 19th dav of December, A. D. 1924.

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SANTA CLARA COUNTY FARMERS TO HOLD QUARTERLY MEETING

The Santa Clara county division of the Farmers E. and C. U. of A., will hold its quarterly meeting Saturday, January 24, at the We and Our Neighbors club house in Union District. It will be an all day meeting, starting at 10 a. m.

There will be election of officers, reports from committees on orchard and farm, legislation and good of the order and marketing.

At noon a basket luncheon will be enjoyed. Cogee, cream and sugar will be furnished.

The afternoon session will be an open meeting with a number of speakers present.

Catholics from all parts of California are arranging to join the first San Francisco pilgrimage to Rome to observe the Holy Year of Jubilee. The pilgrimage secretary has inquiries from individuals and delegations from numerous cities and towns who plan to be in Rome for the Holy week ceremonies.

A large influx of population in California this spring is expected. John McNamara of Lawrence, Mass., and his wife and ten children are coming west. It will cost McNamara $1,225.32 to bring his flock to the golden west. The family will occupy three Pullman sections, two persons to a berth.

Another step towards shortening the distance between Lodi and San Francisco bay, by sixteen miles, was taken when the supervisor of San Joaquin county awarded contracts for construction of the Bouldin island ferry.

When first classes of the spring opened at the University of California, 8,205 students, new and old, were registered.

Paul Brannon, past commander of the American Legion, has been named district governor of the Dons of Peralta for the coming year, to succeed Dr. Arthur C. Jensen, who served during 1924.

Members of the legislature were guests of the Sacramento Elks club at ceremonies marking the breaking of ground for construction of the $1,000,000 home of the club.

The strange actions of his dog resulted in the finding of the body of Fred Kuchuk of the Borden ranch, near Stockton, where he dropped dead while tending sheep.

YOUR INCOME TAX

The exemptions under the revenue act of 1924 are $1,000 for single persons and $2,500 for married persons living together, and heads of families. In addition a $400 credit is allowed for each person dependent upon and receiving his chief support from the taxpayer, if such person is under 18 years of age or incapable of self-support because mentally or physically defective.

The normal tax rate under the revenue act of 1924 is 2 per cent on the first $4,000 of net income in excess of the personal exemptions, credit for dependents, etc., 4 per cent on the next $4,000, and 6 per cent on the balance. Under the preceding act the normal tax rate was 4 per cent on the first $4,000 of net income above the exemptions and credits, and 8 per cent on the remtaining net income.

The revenue act of 1924 contains a special provision for reduced taxes which did not appear in previous laws. All net income up to $5,000 is considered "earned income." On this amount the taxpayer is entitled to a credit of 25 per cent of the amount of the tax.

For example, a taxpayer, single and without dependents, may have received in 1924 a salary of $2,000 and from a real estate transaction a profit of $3,000. His total net income was $5,000. Without the benefit of the 25 per cent reduction his tax would be $80. His actual tax is $60. From his net income of $5,000 he is allowed a personal exemption of $1,000; the tax of 2 per cent on the first $4,000 is $80, one-fourth of which, or $20, may be deducted.

For the purpose of computing this credit, in no case is the earned net income considered to be in excess of $10,000. A taxpayer may have received for the year 1924 a net income from salary of $20,000, but the 25 per cent credit can be applied to only one-half of this amount.

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NEW SPARK PLUGS CUT CAR EXPENSE

Savings in Oil and Gas More Than Pay for Devices and Power Is Better.

Very careful experiments by motor car manufacturers have proved that it is actual waste and unfair to a motor car to run it more than a year with the same set of spark plugs.

Thousands of motorists have found that a new set of plugs after 8,000 to 10,000 miles, running not only make better performances certain but actually save oil and gas to more than pay for the new spark plugs.

Real Economy.

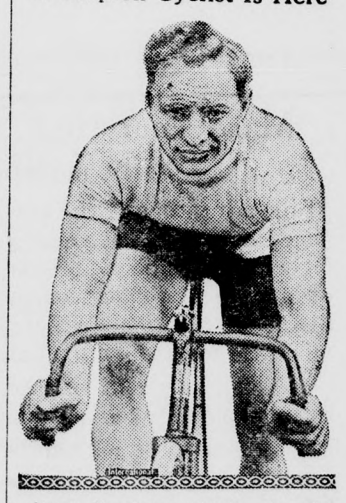
Why it is real economy to do this is easily understood when the part spark plugs play in engine operation is definitely known. In the engines used in motor cars today, the charge is fired in each cylinder at every other revolution of the crank shaft. This means that the spark plugs are called on to deliver the firing spark from 600 to 1,500 times per minute, according to the speed of the engine.

The temperature around the firing points runs from 600 degrees up to 2,000 degrees Fahrenheit, the average being around 1,200. In most motors, oil is being continuously splashed on and burned off the spark plug. This tremendous heat and stress, due to the hammer-like blows of the compression and firing strokes, gradually affect the efficiency of the spark plug, no matter how well made it may be. The oil adheres to the surface of the core affecting its insulating properties and allowing for surface leakage which weakens the spark after a long period of service.

Full Power Not Secured.

Full power is not secured from the gasoline consumed. The engine becomes sluggish. Acceleration is slower. It lacks pull on the hills. The unconsumed gasoline seeps by the pistons and dilutes the oil in the crank case, affecting lubrication and many times causing serious injury to the working parts. This process is so slow that the motorist rarely notices it. But the operation is actually about the same as driving with a partially retarded spark. The installation of a new set of spark plugs is actually a revelation to the motorists. The difference in engine operation is so marked as to be unmistakable. Power and pickup are better. There is more speed. Engine operation is improved in every way. And the motorist actually saves the cost of the new spark plugs in oil and gasoline in the first 1,200 to 1,500 miles of running.

Champion Cyclist Is Here



Peter Moeskops, bicycle champion of the world, who has arrived in this country, is taking an active part in the races held at the Newark velodrome. Moeskops won the world's championship in Paris August 3. Moeskops is one of the largest bicycle riders in the world, standing six feet one inch and weighing 225 pounds.

TH' OLE GROUCH

TH' FELLER I CAINT ABIDE IS TH' SHIFTLESS GALOOT WHO BORROWS HIS NEIGHBOR'S NEWSPAPER! THEY MAY HAVE BEEN SOME EXCUSE IN TH' OLD DAYS, BUT NOT NO MORE, WITH PAPERS PLENTIFUL 'N CHEAP! BORROWIN' IS A TERRIBUL HABIT TO GIT INTO! YEP! HAS AINYBODY GOT A PLUG O' EATIN' TOBACCY?
CHARLES QUIGGLE